

REMARKS

Claims 35-67 are pending. The rejections of the claims are respectfully traversed in light of the following remarks and attached terminal disclaimer, and reconsideration is requested.

Double Patenting and Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 35-67 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-32 of U.S. Patent No. 6,594,011 to Kempen.

The Examiner has indicated the application will be allowed if a proper terminal disclaimer is filed. A proper terminal disclaimer accompanies this Response to Office Action. Thus, Applicant submits that Claims 35-67 are now in condition for allowance.

Information Disclosure Statement

An information disclosure statement for the Examiner's consideration also accompanies this Response to Office Action. Many references were considered in related applications and/or patents, and Applicant maintains the allowability of the present Application.

Conclusion

Applicant believes pending Claims 35-67 are in condition for allowance and allowance of the Application is hereby solicited. If the Examiner has any questions or concerns, the Examiner is hereby requested to telephone Applicant's Attorney at (949) 752-7040.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on July 6, 2004.


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